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SUBJ: BID REQUEST-TARGET INDUSTRY RESEARCH: FOOD  
PROCESSING AND PACKAGING EQUIPMENT

REF: STATE -1665

1. THREE PROPOSALS RECEIVED BY POST FOR SUBJECT RESEARCH CONTRACT HAVE BEEN AIRMAILED TO USDOC. TELEGRAPHIC SUMMERIES AND POST'S RECOMMENDATION FOLLOW.

2. MARKETING AND SALES MANAGEMENT, LTD, (MSM) HAS PREPARED PROPOSAL FOR IRAN ONLY, FOR \$5,750. MSM PROJECTS ABOUT 100 PERSONAL INTERVIEWS, 10 IN GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATIONS AND 90 IN VARIOUS SECTORS OF PRIVATE FOOD INDUSTRY. PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE INCLUDES STUDIES DONE FOR CITRUS FRUIT PROCESSING NIGERIA, FISH PROCESSING IN NEWFOUNDLAND, GROUND NUT OIL PROCESSING IN NIGERIA, PACKAGING IN BOSTON, AND A SUGAR CANE COMPLEX IN NIGERIA.

3. MARKHAZ MANAGING GROUP (MMG) PRPOSED TO STUDY FPP MARKET IN IRAN ONLY FOR \$5,324.00. MMG STATES THAT IT IS UNABLE TO ESTIMATE THE NUMBER OF INTERVIEWS AT THIS TIME. FIRM LISTS NO PRIOR EXPERIENCE, SINCE IS NEWLY FORMED ORGANIZATION.

4. QC ENGINEERING CO, LTD, HAS SUBMITTED PROPOSAL TO STUDY FPP MARKET IN IRAN ONLY FOR \$5,100.00. THIRTY UNCLASSIFIED

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PERSONAL INTERVIEWS ARE ANTICIPATED IN BID PROPOSAL.

MEMBERS OF FIRM HAVE PREPARED STUDY FOR U.S. FEDERAL  
WATER QUALITY ADMINISTRATION, FOOD AND DRUG RESEARCH  
LABORATORIES INC, STUDY OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT  
IN IRAN FOR SCIENTIFIC ATLANTA CORP.

5. POST RECOMMENDS ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL SUBMITTED  
BY QC ENGINEERING ON BASIS OF COMPLETENESS OF PROPOSAL,  
REPUTATION FOR WELL PREPARED STUDIES AND LOW PRICE.  
AIRGRAM WITH COPIES OF BID PROPOSALS WILL BE AIR POUCHED  
MONDAY, APRIL 15, 1974.  
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